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# Brazeau kicked out of Tory caucus

**Domestic violence?**  
 Controversial, outspoken  
 senator off Conservative  
 benches amid reports  
 he had been arrested

Controversial Conservative Sen. Patrick Brazeau was turfed from his party's caucus and believed to be behind bars Thursday after a 911 call summoned police to his home to investigate a complaint of domestic violence.

Brazeau, long a prominent and polarizing figure both within Canada's aboriginal community and beyond, was swiftly removed from the Conservative caucus after police arrived at his home in Gatineau, Que., around 9 a.m.

About three hours later — with Brazeau believed to be in custody, a red police-tape cordon around his house and a cruiser parked in the driveway — a letter was circulated among caucus that he was no longer a member.

"It's known that in light of the serious events that have been reported today, I have removed Sen. Brazeau from the Conservative caucus," Prime Minister Stephen Harper told the Commons.

"Our understanding is that these are matters of a personal nature rather than Senate business, but they are very

serious and we expect they will be dealt with through the courts."

House Leader Peter Van Loan later confirmed in the House that Brazeau's departure was directly linked to reports of a domestic incident.

Brazeau, however, has been a thorn in the Conservative caucus' side for months, most recently over allegations that he was using other people's addresses in order to qualify for a Senate housing allowance and an aboriginal tax exemption.



Sen. Patrick Brazeau  
FRED CHARTRAND/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Police described Brazeau's house as a crime scene, although they refused to confirm it was indeed the senator who was in custody, saying only that a man was arrested at the Gatineau address after a call to 911.

By the dinner hour Thursday, no charges had been formally laid. Police said they

## Divisive from the start

Calls for Brazeau's removal from the Senate began almost from the day he was appointed by Harper in 2008.

- He was 34 when called to the red chamber, making him the third-youngest appointee in its history. Critics howled over his access to a salary of about \$132,000 a year and a generous pension plan.

would keep the suspect in custody pending a possible court appearance Friday morning.

"There's no charge right now at the moment, but we will continue our investigation," said Gatineau police spokesman Pierre Lanthier.

Lanthier would not comment on the condition of the victim.

Brazeau's office said Thursday that he would remain in the Senate as independent.

Were he to face charges, Brazeau would be placed on leave from the Senate, and though he could still attend sessions, his access to benefits would be curtailed. He would only be suspended if convicted of an indictable offence. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



A police officer attaches police tape outside the house of Sen. Patrick Brazeau in Gatineau, Que., on Thursday. Brazeau was kicked out of the Conservative caucus Thursday amid media reports that he'd been arrested following an alleged domestic disturbance at his home. **ADRIAN WYLD/THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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## Phoenix Sinclair

**Inquiry  
hears about  
Phoenix's  
final days**

Days before he helped beat his girlfriend's daughter to death, Karl McKay said in front of the girl that she was too ugly to be related to him, an inquiry was told Thursday.

In early June 2005, McKay ran into one of his cousins, Florence Bear, outside a store near the Fisher River reserve. McKay was standing by his car, Bear testified Thursday, and inside the vehicle was McKay's girlfriend, Samantha Kematch, and her daughter from a previous relationship, Phoenix Sinclair.

"I asked if that was his baby, and he commented 'No, she's too ugly to be mine and there is no resemblance,'" Bear said.

The inquiry is examining how Manitoba child welfare failed to protect Phoenix. She had spent much of her life in foster care or in the care of family friends before social workers closed her file a final time in March 2005, shortly before her fifth birthday.

Bear told the inquiry Phoenix looked lonely and "sad" when she saw her in McKay's vehicle. She also seemed to be largely ignored by the adults.

The event was one of the few times in 2005 that anyone outside of Phoenix's immediate family saw her. Much of the testimony has indicated that Phoenix had become practically invisible to neighbours, relatives and child welfare.

Later in October, McKay, Kematch and their baby moved in with Bear and her husband. Phoenix was nowhere to be seen and Bear said her name never came up in conversation.

By that time, Phoenix's body was in a makeshift grave near the Fisher River dump. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

**Sexual assaults. Two  
Manitoba sheriffs arrested**

Two Manitoba sheriffs face more allegations that they drugged and sexually assaulted women while off-duty.

Last October, two people were arrested after a woman complained that she was given a substance at a couple's home that made her unconscious.

She said when she woke up, she discovered that she had been sexually assaulted and contacted police.

Police began investigating last November after three separate victims reported being

sexually assaulted after going to the couple's home.

Two of the victims were allegedly given a substance that rendered one of them unconscious.

Richard Robert Gordon, 45, and Jackie Erin Burgoyne, 34, were arrested Wednesday and both face a number of charges including sexual assault, forcible confinement, and administering a stupefying substance to overcome resistance to sexual assault. **METRO, WITH FILES FROM THE CANADIAN PRESS**

**Emterra. Pick-up service  
getting better: Survey**

## By the numbers

**90%**

The survey showed recycling and garbage was picked up correctly 90% of the time.

A survey of Winnipeggers about their garbage and recycling collection last month suggests Emterra's service is picking up.

The results of the Prairie Research Associates survey of 480 city households from Jan. 14 to 25 show garbage and recycling was picked up the right day 90 per cent of the time.

Of the four per cent of Winnipeggers who said their garbage pick-up was missed, the average waiting time to

correct the mistake was just under two days, while the average wait for missed recycling was just over two days.

The remaining six per cent could not provide an answer. **METRO**

**Aboriginals called to  
join stem-cell registry****Remembering  
Chantelle. Grandma  
says her death could  
have been prevented**

Chantelle Chornoby's promise is being kept, and her grandmother couldn't be happier.

Edna Chornoby was one of dozens of people who gathered at the Aboriginal Centre on Thursday for the launch of a campaign to sign up more aboriginal youth for the OneMatch stem-cell registry.

"This is so special. My family and I always support the events that are happening. We want to keep Chantelle's promise, what she started," said Chornoby, clearly moved by the event at the former rail station on Higgins Avenue.

"I believe with all of my heart she would be here today, speaking out, and that was her dream."

Her granddaughter, whom she raised, died in 2010 from leukemia just days before her son, Cheveyo Osborne, turned one.

## More info

Visit [onematch.ca](http://onematch.ca) for more information on the OneMatch Stem Cell and Marrow Network or to sign up. There is a special need for male donors, aged 17 to 35.

Chornoby said Chantelle's death was preventable — she likely would have lived if she'd found a donor match.

Kevin Chief, Manitoba's minister for children and youth opportunities, said Canada's aboriginal community faces a big challenge because less than one per cent of the registrants are aboriginal.

"Having someone from your own ethnic background makes a big difference," he added.

"There are about 15 aboriginal people right now in the province of Manitoba that need to find a potential donor for a life-threatening illness and it doesn't exist."

Chief said that though the process is "painless," it does take some time.

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Cheveyo Osborne, 3, and his great-aunt Trina Ouskan help a young woman go through the process of signing up for the OneMatch stem-cell registry.

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## This Hisses. On Saturday post-punk gets cinematic

Winnipeg band This Hisses get Lynchian on its sophomore album, *Anhedonia*.

The post-punk trio — composed of vocalist/bassist Julia Ryckman, guitarist Patrick Short and drummer JP Perron — is as influenced by surrealist filmmaker David Lynch as it is Nick Cave and the Stooges.

"We really feel we have a very cinematic aesthetic but still decidedly rock 'n' roll," said Ryckman, a classically trained opera singer. "The whole time we were writing the record we were talking about David Lynch and (German filmmaker) Wim Wenders, using their visuals to describe what we were trying to do with our sound."

This Hisses' vibe comes from the sum of its parts. Ryckman possesses an otherworldly tone. Short emphasizes mood and melody over power chords and Perron, a powerhouse percussionist, provides the rawk. Those individual strengths culminate in a unique blend of prettiness and ugliness, something perfected on *Anhedonia*.

This Hisses unleashes *Anhedonia* Saturday night at the West End Culture Centre. Winnipeg bands Slow Dancers and Pop Crimes are opening. Tickets are \$15 at the WECC, Music Trader, Winnipeg Folk Festival Music Store and Ticketmaster or \$20 at the door. Showtime is 8 p.m. **JARED STORY/FOR METRO**



The trio behind This Hisses. TRAVIS COLE/CONTRIBUTED

## Winnipeg history. Trivia challenge starts Monday

There's still time to start brushing up on local history and register for the Winnipeg 1913 Trivia Hunt in celebration of the Fort Garry Hotel's centennial.

The historic trivia game, which starts Monday, will see players challenged with a series of online quizzes emailed once a month for the next 10 months.

Local historian and author Jim Blanchard has been tasked with writing each month's 10 questions and he promises to make them fun and "not too hard" to answer, according to the release.

Monthly top finishers will be entered to win prizes

### Edutainment

**"The game is an excellent way to learn something you may not know about Winnipeg's history."**

Ida Albo, a managing partner at the Fort Garry Hotel, Spa and Conference Centre, in a release.

throughout the run of the trivia hunt, and a grand prize of one Ten Spa service every week for a year — valued at \$6,500 — will be awarded in December.

To register and find out more about the trivia hunt, go to [winnipeg1913.com](http://winnipeg1913.com). **METRO**



Expect music and merriment en masse at this year's Mardi Gras. CONTRIBUTED/METRO

# Mardi Gras remains feast for the senses

**Let loose.** Annual Louisiana shaker just gets bigger and better



SHANE GIBSON  
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It's all the excitement of the French Quarter without the flight to New Orleans.

Mardi Gras is once again bringing beads, boas and bourbon to the Winnipeg Convention Centre, and organizers promise a little something for everyone at the seventh annual two-night party.

"We want to keep the flavour of the event the same but we always want to have something new and exciting," said Mardi Gras spokesperson Bernice Sharples. "Just because you came last year doesn't mean it's going to be exactly the same this time around."

New this year is Grammy Award-winning C.J. Chenier and the Red Hot Louisiana Band, who will keep the party going with two sets of accordion-driven tunes both nights.

"His style ... is really danceable southern music known as 'swamp pop,'" said Sharples, adding the enter-

### Bring costumes and cash

Mardi Gras revellers are encouraged to show up in costume, and a bevy of vendors will be available on site for everything from hats, beads and boas to adult toys, tattoo artists and card reading.

Louisiana favourites such as freshly shucked oysters, peel-and-eat shrimp, southern-fried Cajun pickle spears, alligator fritters and a whole lot more. New to the menu this year is crawfish, known regionally as mud bugs.

The event will also be a feast for the eyes, said Sharples, with aerial acrobatics, stilt walkers, showgirls, drag queens, the colossal man and other unexpected sights moving through the crowd all night.

Mardi Gras runs 6 p.m. to 2 a.m. Feb. 15-16, and tickets are \$16 at Ticketmaster. Go to [winnipegmardigras.com](http://winnipegmardigras.com) for more information.

tainment won't stop with a burlesque dancer and a number of other musical acts, including the Manitoba Blues Society, on tap.

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Victoria

## Pocket-dialling horror story

When a woman in Victoria got a call from her daughter's cellphone and heard terrified screams, she immediately dialled 911. It turned out the daughter was at a horror movie and had inadvertently called her mother. But police say they were forced to check on the daughter to make sure she was OK.

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Close call?

## Massive asteroid about to soar past Earth

An asteroid measuring 150 feet will zip past Earth next week. The megarock will pass within 27,400 kilometres of the planet — the closest-known approach ever for an object of this size. But NASA scientists said Thursday there's no reason to worry. They insist there is absolutely no chance of a collision next Friday.

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Owen Sound, Ont.

## City websites redirect visitors to pornography

It could be two weeks before Owen Sound, Ont.'s city websites, pulled down following a virus attack, are back online. Owen Sound officials say they're dealing with a problem that occurred on Sunday, when specific links on the city sites redirected users to a pornography website. Owen Sound Mayor Deb Haswell wanted to assure residents that no private information has been compromised.

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# Throng of Amish kids could lose parents over beard-cutting attacks



Edward Mast, a 19-year-old grandson of one of the 16 men and women facing sentencing Friday. KEITH SRAKOCIC/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Sentencing.

Defendants could face 10 years in prison for hate crime that was an attempt by a splinter group to shame outgoing members

More than 50 Amish children could lose one parent to prison — and most of the youngest could lose both — on Friday when 16 men and women are sentenced in beard-cutting attacks on fellow members of their faith in Ohio.

Most defendants could face as long as 10 years in prison and are asking the judge for leniency so they can return to their homes and farms to teach their sons a trade and their daughters how to sew, cook and keep house.

But their bid faces an uphill battle. Victims of the 2011 attacks, which the government called a hate crime and an attempt by a splinter group to shame members who left or denounced it, say justice is

needed, especially for the ring-leader.

In a rare interview last week in Bergholz at the community's sprawling farm amid rolling hills in eastern Ohio, unmarried 19-year-old Edward Mast, grandson of ring leader Sam Mullet Sr., said he is anticipating a life of mentoring Amish children and sharing in child-rearing if the parents go to prison.

While he spoke, a 15-year-old used a chainsaw to cut fence planks and a 12-year-old crisply drove nails into the planks as a 10-year-old held up the board. The youngest trudged in boots through ankle-deep mud and a creek surging with melting snow.

Prison terms will make the whole operation harder

## Quoted

**'It's a cult. Their minds were programmed in the wrong way by Sam Mullet, so we feel like these people are very deceived.'**

Arlene Miller, wife of one of the victims

to maintain, Mast told The Associated Press. "It will be a mess," he said, shaking his head under a wide-brim hat.

Mullet broke away from the mainstream Amish in 1995, seeking stricter cultural rules and Scriptural interpretation than is the norm in the eastern Ohio community, authorities said. He was the undisputed leader of his group, counselling relatives on religious matters, negotiating drilling rights on his land and denouncing Amish who questioned his authority.

Some Amish spoke out against his authoritarian style, and the government said that led to the attacks, as Mullet tried to discipline dissenters who left his community and Amish bishops who condemned him.

Arlene Miller, 48, of Carrollton, whose husband, an Amish bishop, was among the victims, said she thinks Mullet deserves a tough sentence and the others should get less time if they get cult deprogramming counselling.

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## Captain Kirk spaces out. Shatner chats with Canadian astronaut

William Shatner, the Canadian-born actor of Star Trek fame, spoke for a few minutes Thursday with Chris Hadfield, who is currently on a five-month space voyage. The actor asked questions about Hadfield's hopes for space travel, as well as his fears.

They also exchanged a few jokes. Shatner quipped that if he flopped while performing, the worst thing that could happen is he might sweat a little bit. "In your case," he told Hadfield, "you burn up."

He also asked Hadfield how he felt, being away from his home planet for so long. That prompted a philosophical reply from the astronaut about how far humanity has come since the original Star Trek era.

Hadfield responded that in the 1960s, having a phone chat with someone in outer space was the stuff of science fiction. Today, Hadfield said, it's a reality, and it helps make astronauts feel more closely connected to loved ones back home.

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# Mr. Baird goes to Washington

## Cross-border relations.

Canada first on the list to meet with America's new secretary of state

John Baird will be the first foreign minister to sit down with America's newest secretary of state on Friday when he meets with John Kerry at the U.S. State Department to discuss an array of bilateral and international issues.

The two men will "discuss ways to deepen co-operation in the extensive Canada-U.S. relationship," including efforts to streamline trade and travel at the border, department spokeswoman Victoria Nuland said Thursday.

Kerry, who was officially sworn in on Wednesday, insisted that he meet first with Canada's foreign minister.

"The secretary felt very strongly that our Canadian neighbour and ally should



Foreign Affairs Minister John Baird  
SEAN KILPATRICK/THE CANADIAN PRESS

come first," Nuland said.

In a statement, Baird said he was looking forward to working with Kerry "to find new ways to create jobs, growth and opportunity on both sides of our shared border."

Nuland wouldn't bite on questions about who might become America's next ambassador to Canada. Several names are being bandied about by prognosticators in Canada-U.S. circles, including that of Caroline Kennedy.

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## A Day Without Cars in Bogota

Cyclists ride along an empty avenue that leads to the airport in Bogota, Colombia, on Thursday. Residents of Colombia's capital walked, biked or used public transport during a Day Without Cars, on the 13th year that cars have been banned for a day to promote alternative transportation to reduce smog. FERNANDO VERGARA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Israel

### Woman beats parking ticket with Facebook

An Israeli woman says she parked her car legally near her Tel Aviv home only to find it gone and replaced with a handicapped parking sign. City hall slapped her with \$300 US in fines.

Hila Ben Baruch obtained footage from a security camera showing municipal workers painting the handicapped symbol under her car, then towing the vehicle away. The video, put on Facebook, has gone viral. The municipality has apologized and refunded the fines. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Syria

### Soldiers shake their booty

A video posted online purportedly shows Syrian soldiers taking a break from the country's civil war by bopping around to American R&B star Usher's hit song, Yeah! The video appeared to be authentic and the uniforms consistent with those worn by Syrian soldiers. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Wes Comer holds the Boy Scout uniform of his son, Isaiah, outside their home in Knoxville, Tenn. Comer says he will pull his eldest son out of the Boy Scouts of America, despite a positive experience with them, if the organization modifies its policy to allow some troops to accept gays. BROOKE COMER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Gay-rights groups rally for BSA equality

**United States.** Easing the ban on gays as Scouts or adult leaders faces a crucial vote that will likely divide Boy Scouts community

policy was supposed to be settled Wednesday by the Scouts' 70-member national executive board, but board members said the issue so complex, the organization needed more time to study it.

### Quoted

**"Whatever decision is made, there will be people absolutely certain it is wrong."**

Bill Helfand, civil-rights lawyer and scoutmaster in Houston

The Boy Scouts of America will be the focus of prayers, petitions and pressure tactics for the next 14 weeks as advocates on both sides of the U.S. cultural divide aim at swaying a vote on easing the ban on gays as Scouts or adult leaders.

After a campaign that promises to be as passionate and dramatic as any big election, a decision will be made the week of May 20 by the roughly 1,400 voting members of the BSA's National Council. The

At stake is a proposal to ease the ban that would allow sponsors of local Scout units to decide for themselves whether to admit gays. Gay-rights groups say the plan is inadequate, and

that no units should be allowed to discriminate. Some conservative religious leaders and advocacy groups want the ban to stay in place nationwide.

Both sides are girding for intensive lobbying between now and late May, hoping to influence the outcome.

"Keep the pressure on," was the message Thursday from the Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation to its supporters.

GLAAD, which has been active in several recent campaigns opposing the ban, provided information on how to telephone or email BSA headquarters, and offered suggestions for how to advocate using Twitter and Facebook.

"Take action!" GLAAD exhorted. "Send a message to the Boy Scouts that we won't rest until they end the ban."

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### New York

## Death of American woman in Turkey remains mystery

A New York woman found dead near the remnants of ancient city walls in Turkey will be buried just steps away from the apartment where she and her husband were raising their two sons. The family of Sarai Sierra was finalizing arrangements for her funeral as her body was being flown back to the U.S. The 33-year-old was found dead 12 days after she disappeared in Istanbul. Police said she was killed by a blow to the head. No arrests have been made.

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## Egypt. Prime minister faces backlash over remarks about nursing mothers

Egypt's prime minister faced uproar, derision and even lawsuits Thursday after he blamed health problems of babies in impoverished villages on nursing mothers who "out of ignorance" don't clean their breasts and talked of village women getting raped in the fields.

Hesham Kandil made the remarks as he tried to make a point about poverty at a press conference aired live on TV this week. The backlash put the previously little known technocrat appointed by Islamist President Mohamed Morsi under a spotlight.

Rights advocates and activists said Thursday it showed a prime minister who is out of his depth — and who holds elitist and patriarchal attitudes that blame poor women for everything from not bringing their children up right to bringing dishonour on society.

A number of lawyers in Beni Sweif, a province Kandil mentioned specifically, filed lawsuits against him, accusing him of libel, an official at the top prosecutor's office said, speaking on condition of anonymity because they weren't authorized to talk to the press.

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While most of the country is feeling economically crunched, with fewer job opportunities and budgets blanketed in red, Saskatchewan is booming.

It's a boom that could help protect the country against a shaky global economy.

"We have what the world wants right now, not just with respect to natural resources, but also in terms of agriculture," said Premier Brad Wall.

Wall highlights a 7.7 per cent growth in exports — the highest rate of growth in the country between November 2011 and November 2012 — saying the province is blessed to rely on multiple resources rather than just one. Currently, Saskatchewan is a major producer of potash, uranium, oil and natural gas, and is a world leader in pulse crops.

In late 2012 the Conference Board of Canada reported that Saskatchewan is poised to have the fastest-growing economy in 2013 and 2014, which boils down to two things: more money and more jobs.

"It's a great quality of life here," said Wall. "When you take a look at the rest of the country, it's very competitive from a cost-of-living standpoint, and there are jobs here that we can offer and jobs that are available right now."

With growth comes growing pains — which Wall said his government is working on keeping to a minimum by way of major investments in infrastructure and appropriate tax exemptions.

Perhaps most important is that the boom is nowhere near slowing down.

"It's continuing.... That's the first thing other Canadians should know: that this is real what's happening here in Saskatchewan," said Wall.

JANE CAULFIELD/METRO IN SASKATOON

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## Wheat champ



1911

Rosthern farmer Seager Wheeler wins first of five world wheat championships with his entry of Marquis at the New York Land Show. He soon develops new varieties of barley, wheat and oats.

## Hockey broadcast

1923

Saskatchewan's first radio station, CKCK Regina, airs one of the world's first live broadcasts of a pro hockey game: the Regina Capitals vs. the Edmonton Eskimos.



## Marketing giant

1924

Co-operative Wheat Producers Limited (a.k.a. Saskatchewan's Wheat Pool) becomes the largest co-operative marketing organization in the world.

## Pumped on natural gas

1934

Saskatchewan's first successful natural-gas well, Discovery No. 1, near Lloydminster, inaugurates the era of commercial production in the province that continues to this day.

## Uranium rules

1952

The province's first major oil field is discovered and EMRL begins uranium production. The oil pumps for 40 years; uranium production marks the beginning of a 50-year reign as world's largest uranium producer.

## Plentiful potash

1962

The potash mine at Esterhazy, which would become the world's largest, starts producing in earnest thanks to the Blairmore Ring, a technology that prevents mine-shaft flooding, which had stalled previous efforts.

For many Canadians, Saskatchewan is a 'fly-over' province, its sparsely populated countryside and (mostly) But Saskatchewan is maturing — and darn if she isn't filling out nicely. Here's a grain elevator full of reasons

## SUDDENLY SEXY SAS



## Rural allure

Fresh as a daisy  
— dukes, that is,  
and just as cheeky

You know what they say. Country is so hot right now, and they're not just talking about the sunny summers in the Prairies. Daisy dukes and cowboy boots may have made their pop-culture comeback, but they never went out of style in Saskatchewan.

## Baby, you can drive my car

Just call 'em  
sugar daddy

Saskatchewan ain't no scrub. You know the old joke about cash being the ultimate aphrodisiac? Well, Saskatchewan is well on its way to becoming the sugar-daddy province, with its high employment, high levels of business ownership and luxury shopping to match, like Saskatchewan's first Porsche dealership.

## Hot as all get out

A future so bright,  
it needs shades

An international spotlight has been shining down on this province's sizzling talent, like soccer dynamo Kaylyn Kyle, pictured here, who claimed bronze at the 2012 Olympics, and Saskatoon rockers The Sheepdogs. And keep an eye on up-and-coming folk-rockers Young Benjamins. Nothing's sexier than young blood.

## She digs football

She's into the game:  
A fantasy come true

Hey guys, you know how you've always wanted a girlfriend who'd watch a football game? Well Saskatchewan women — and not just Roughriders fans — will also pick up the ball. The province boasts the 2012 champs of the Western Women's Canadian Football League. And these ladies are serious, forgoing the cutesy lingerie.

## Baby, it's warm inside

Staying stoked  
all night long is  
what they do best

During the harsh Prairie winters there's nothing better than staying inside and keeping each other warm. While the methods of escaping severe winds and cold temperatures vary, it usually involves a fireplace, some sultry tunes and a 12 of Pilsner.



flat landscape having long been the butt of jokes. why the province is now the object of hungry eyes.

# KATCHEWAN



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## They've got the nightlife

### Brew pubs & bars & nightclubs — oh yeah!

Sure, sure — in Saskatchewan you may think it's all farming and no play, but with brew pubs, bars, nightclubs, concert venues and restaurants cropping up all over the place, they're defying the notion that they don't know how to party.

## Growing culture

### Great big art throb

Saskatchewan takes its art seriously. Local talent is fiercely supported by the citizens of the province, which has encouraged musicians, performers and visual artists to put down roots. And the Remail Art Gallery of Saskatchewan, slated to begin construction in Saskatoon in March, will feature a collection of original Picassos that is sure to wow and inspire.

## Big on all outdoors

### Rockin' the rugged wilderness

Do you like a certain lumberjack quality in your significant other? If so, then look no further than the frontiersmen and women of Saskatchewan. Many have been braving the untamed wilderness on boats, skis and snowmobiles since they were no taller than a stalk of wheat.

JEFF MACKEY/METRO IN REGINA

## Five things you didn't know about Saskatchewan



### 1 Rider pride. Most passionate fans

Riders merch accounts for approximately 70 per cent of all CFL sales. Why wouldn't you want your toothbrush, baby's onesie and golf tees in green and white?

### 2 Let it shine. Sunniest province

Not only do Saskatchewanians get the most sunrays, the province also has the highest number of hot days (more than 30 C) and one of the clearest skies annually.

### 3 Time stands still. No DST shift

Saskatchewan stays the same time year-round, the only province to shun daylight savings time. It switches between central and mountain time by simply not "springing ahead" and people like it that way.

### 4 It ain't so flat. Cypress Hills

Cypress Hills in the southwest part of the province is 4,567 feet above sea level, making it the highest point in Canada between Labrador and the Rocky Mountains.

### 5 Nautical history. Shipwreck

In 2012, archeologists discovered the wreck of a steamship in the South Saskatchewan River that sunk in Saskatoon in 1908. No one was killed in the century-old accident, which was called the "greatest nautical disaster in Prairie history."

ALYSSA MCDONALD/METRO IN REGINA

## 'It' place. Why people love it here

Metro talked to people who have lived in Saskatchewan all their lives, others who have come back and those who are new to the province. Here's what they told us. **MORGAN MODJESKI/METRO IN SASKATOON**



"Here I can be a bigger fish in a small pond."

Ryan Smith, 32, CEO of Varial Technologies Inc. and co-founder of Ominocity, a music-and-culture blog. Sask. local.



"The quality of life that I have here (is) comparable to or better than ... a lot of other parts of Canada."

Bronwyn Stoddard, 27, copy writer at the Marketing Den. Sask. local.



"I figured opportunity seems to be everywhere but here, but things really changed here."

Paul Chavady, 25, real estate agent. Came to Sask. in 2001 from India, moved to Calgary in 2006, returned to Sask. in 2007.



"I knew things had changed.... I felt it was the right time for me to come back."

Blair Braitenbach, 33, communications co-ordinator, FASD Support Network of Saskatchewan Inc. Sask. local, left for Calgary in 2003, returned in 2012.



"I know there's going to be no issues finding a job here in my field."

Millie Lemieux, 27, grad student at the University of Saskatchewan in animal behaviour. Grew up in the Ottawa Valley, moved to Sask. in 2011.



"I noticed right away ... just how friendly and open people were, and accepting."

Laurence Nixon, 25, account manager at zu web strategy, design and development agency. Recruited by U of S Huskies football program in 2005, grew up in Richmond, B.C.

## Indie campus

1974

The University of Regina is created as the Regina campus of the University of Saskatchewan becomes a separate institution.

## 1st debit card

1985

The first debit card in North America is tested at a Swift Current Pioneer Co-op. In 1981, the same credit union in Regina that brought Canada the ATM was busy working on the debit-card concept.

## One-century young

2005

The province celebrates its 100th birthday.

## Unemployment falls

2009

While Canada was in the midst of a recession, Saskatchewan was the only province to record a decline in unemployment.

## Population rises

2012

As the economy grows, so does the population. The province's population reaches an all-time record of 1,086,564. Saskatchewan also sees the highest employment rate in July with 542,600 employed.

## A-1 economy

2013

According to the Conference Board of Canada, Saskatchewan will have the top-ranked economy among the provinces, with a growth rate of 3.4 per cent. **JONATHAN RUSSELL AND ALI ZAFAR/METRO IN TORONTO**

## Halifax

## Nova Scotia gives BlackBerry \$10M to preserve jobs

The Nova Scotia government is handing tech giant BlackBerry \$10 million over five years to make sure the company keeps at least 400 jobs in the province. Premier Darrell Dexter said that without the investment, the company could have moved the high-paying jobs elsewhere.

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## Market Minute

**DOLLAR**  
100.20¢ (-0.25¢)

**TSX**  
12,755.92 (-5.68)

**OIL**  
\$95.83 US (-79¢)

**GOLD**  
\$1,671.30 US (-\$7.50)

**Natural gas:** \$3.29 US (-13¢)  
**Dow Jones:** 13,944.05 (-42.47)

# 'I do not have political ambitions,' Carney says

**Central banking.** At U.K. confirmation hearing, incoming BoE governor puts rumours to rest

Mark Carney wanted to make one thing perfectly clear Thursday before submitting to his unofficial, and ultimately successful, job interview for governor of the Bank of England — "I do not have political ambitions."

The proof, Carney said, is in his choice of taking on the extremely challenging post as England's top banker.

The statement before his hearing in London was perhaps the most categorical disavowal of any political interest for now, or when he is expected to return to Canada in five years.

The issue arose after it was revealed in December that Carney had been courted for — and in some eyes appeared somewhat interested in — the Liberal leadership, as well as having vacationed in the summer home of the Liberal finance critic during the sum-



Mark Carney, the current head of the Bank of Canada, will become governor of the Bank of England on July 1.

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mer. The speculation in Canada is that Carney would be ready to jump into the political ring after returning from England in 2018.

"I'm surprised it has been suggested that taking one of the most challenging jobs in central banking in another country would be politically advantageous in my home country," he told the Treasury Select committee.

"If I had political ambitions, I would have pursued them in

## Quoted

"I'm moving from one of the least expensive cities in the world, Ottawa, to one of the most expensive."

Mark Carney, defending his pay packet before the Treasury Select committee.

Canada and so I think this is revealed preference. I do not have political ambitions."

In what appeared a shocking decision last fall, Carney was hand-picked by U.K. Chancellor George Osborne to take charge of the storied, 319-year-old institution on July 1, the first foreigner to ever do so.

The session began with some uncomfortable questions from chairman Andrew Tyrie, a Conservative MP, including why the Canadian changed his mind after first refusing the offer and whether he was worth his estimated \$1.36 million pay packet, including a \$390,000 housing allowance.

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## Art market weathers Europe's economic storm

This 1932 painting by Pablo Picasso entitled *Woman Sitting Near a Window* fetched almost \$45 million US at auction Tuesday at Sotheby's in London. Sales of impressionist, modern and surrealist art this week at Sotheby's and rival Christie's saw pre-sale estimates shattered, proving the high-end art market is weathering Europe's economic storm. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

## Horseburger scandal. Polish official refutes Irish claims

Investigations in Poland have found no evidence backing Irish claims that Poland was the source of horsemeat that ended up in Irish and British burgers, a top Polish veterinarian said on Thursday.

Jaroslav Naze, deputy head of Poland's General Veterinary Inspectorate, said Ireland needed to hand over more documentary evidence, including labels on the suspected meat supplies, so that Polish officials can complete their own investigation. "I need the details from Ireland," he said.

Tensions have emerged in recent days between the two countries, both major meat

## Quoted

There "are no signs that the horsemeat was in Polish beef. My investigation shows that the beef was beef."

Jaroslav Naze, deputy head of Poland's General Veterinary Inspectorate

producers whose industries could be damaged by the scandal. Irish government officials and an Irish meat company have blamed the contamination of beef patties with horsemeat on meat imported from Poland. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Cineplex. NHL lockout credited with upping profit

A slate of Hollywood hits featuring superheroes and a secret agent helped exhibitor Cineplex Inc. deliver the best full-year results in its history, and an almost 200 per cent increase in fourth-quarter profit.

Chief executive Ellis Jacob said Thursday that the NHL hockey lockout left Canadians with fewer options for Saturday night entertainment. He thinks that was at least part of the reason Cineplex saw quarterly attendance jump 23 per cent.

"I keep saying (it) helped us, but it's hard to quantify," Jacob said in an interview

after the company reported its results.

"All I can tell you is personally when I asked people, 'What are you doing?' everybody on a Saturday night seemed to be going to a movie. When we checked the numbers it was hard to tell."

A combination of high-adrenaline action movies like the James Bond film *Skyfall* and broadly appealing adventures like *The Hobbit* and the finale of the *Twilight* series gave hockey fans plenty of alternatives. "The movies were appealing to a much wider demographic," Jacob added.

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## Apple. Investor sues over plan to cut preferred stock

With its annual meeting looming and its stock on the decline, Apple is facing a rebellion from an activist investor who wants the company to stop stockpiling cash and give it to shareholders instead.

Greenlight Capital said Thursday that it is suing Apple in a New York federal court over the company's proposal to eliminate preferred stock. David Einhorn, who heads the investment fund, said the proposal would close down one avenue for Apple to reward shareholders with more cash.

Apple is still the world's

## Stashing the cash

- Corporations normally don't hoard cash the way Apple does. They keep enough on hand for immediate needs, and either invest the rest in their operations or hand it out to shareholders in the form of dividends or stock buybacks.

most valuable company, but its stock has lost 35 per cent of its value since September.

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# THIS MIGHT SOUND CHEESY ...



**THE LIST**  
Paul Sullivan  
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It's officially time for the unofficial list of everything noteworthy or maybe just crazy. If it's worth talking about, it's here. If it's not listed, welp, then

don't even think about bringing it up around the watercooler.

**1** **BillieBie it.** Justin Bieber, often the butt of The Metro List, is elevated to No. 1 in honour of being the youngest artist to have five No. 1 albums on the Billboard Top 200. He turns 19 on March 1. Somewhere out there, Mozart's feeling old.

**2** **A gravy state of affairs.** A fire destroys the St. Albert cheese factory, setting off a poutine panic in the nation's capital, as the supply of curds is cut off. Other cheese factories have offered to leap into the breach and produce emergency curds. Meanwhile, that sigh of relief is coming from Ottawa-area arteries.

**3** **Speaking of clogged arteries.** Sen. Mike Duffy is in big trouble for claiming the expense allowance that goes with representing the good people of Prince Edward Island and maintaining a residence on The Gentle Island. The wags are calling him "Senator Come-From-Away," and the Opposition demands to know the last time he actually set foot in Cavendish, where he allegedly lives. Mike, who spent many years demanding answers as a national political correspondent, is uncharacteristically silent.

**4** **Ottawa Babylon.** What's with the Senate? Usually little more than a dormitory for burnt-out bagmen, the Senate's on fire with scandal. Now Canada's youngest senator, Patrick Brazeau, has been linked to an alleged domestic disturbance and kicked out of the Tory caucus. When unelected political hacks behave badly, I say off with their expense accounts!

**5** **Speaking of Prince Edward Island.** CreateSpace (owned by Amazon) has reinvented Anne of Green Gables as a blond, complete with heaving bosom and come-hither look. Huh? Anne fans are not amused. Where are the carrotty pigtailed and freckles? And who, exactly, is the world's largest bookseller trying to reach by sexing up the patron saint of P.E.I.? Definitely not your mother's Anne. Maybe your kid brother's?

**6** **My kingdom for a hearse.** The bones of King Richard III, epic Shakespearean villain, are dug up in a parking lot in Leicester, England. His final resting place will likely be a tomb in the more royally suitable Leicester Cathedral. And along with the up-grave, he's getting an image makeover. Turns out the last Plantagenet wasn't a nasty, scheming hunchback after all, but the victim of 16th-century Tudor attack ads.

**7** **BlackBerries ripe for picking.** RIM changes its name to BlackBerry and launches the sleek new Z10 phone in Canada and the U.K., but it won't be on sale in the U.S. until mid-March (where they'll call it the Zee10). Meanwhile, BlackBerry has hired songbird Alicia Keys to spread the musical word across America. Now, if only they can get her to stop tweeting from her iPhone.

**8** **Year of the Snake.** If you've already booted your new year's resolutions, no problem. Lunar New Year, Feb. 10, gives you a chance to reboot. Let's just hope 2013 doesn't turn out like 1929, a previous snake-bit year!

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# The skin-ny on military training



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## Military training

### Going Spartan for S. Korean snow

Around 400 marines from South Korea and the United States have shed their shirts in sub-zero temperatures as part of a training exercise near the ski resort town of Pyeongchang, some 180 kilometres east of Seoul.

The bare-chested soldiers walked through icy water and performed pushups on the snow to test their limits in extreme conditions. **METRO**

## Viral military

### Air force parodies Les Misérables

Despite a penchant for serious training, South Korea's armed forces show they can have fun, too.

The country's air force has posted a Les Misérables parody on YouTube, complete with snow-shovelling airmen, a lovesick military service conscript and a vengeful superior officer.

The clip, entitled Les Militaribles, has amassed around a million views in just a few days. **METRO**

## Army man's viewpoint

"Through this training session, Marine Corps of South Korea and the U.S. will learn how to adapt to various combat environments, including extreme cold and snow."

Lt.-Col. Lee Keun-soo to the Yonhap News Agency. It is the first time that the marine corps of the two allied nations have held such joint winter drills, officials said.

## In numbers

**18**

days — the length of the marines' gruelling extreme training (until Feb. 22). Temperatures can dip below -20 C.



Justin Bieber flashes his abs on Late Night With Jimmy Fallon on Tuesday.  
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**@Katbee13:** • • • • •  
The bus is always slowest when you actually need to be somewhere. #Winnipeg

**@QX104winnipeg:** • • • • •  
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Brady landfill is more romantic than Regina

**@alexa\_chung:** • • • • •  
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**@bdrw:** • • • • •  
Lovely dream about traveling through Japan. Wake up and you're in Winnipeg... :/



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Jason Bateman and Melissa McCarthy are hardly rational humans in *Identity Thief*. HANDOUT

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# 'Comedy' a time thief

**Identity Thief.** Even Jason Bateman and Melissa McCarthy can't save this plastic farce of a plot that hinges on stolen credit cards

**Richard:** Mark, there is suspension of disbelief. Then there's stretching the limits of believability. And then there is *Identity Thief*. I don't demand that my movies make perfect sense. Far from it. If I am enjoying the story I'm willing to overlook some leaps in logic. But the plot twists here simply don't work. For one thing, I guess simply cancelling the stolen credit cards lacks comedic possibilities, but it would have been the right thing to do and it would have spared us this mostly unfunny "comedy."

**Mark:** Richard, this is a very,

very broad comedy, and I don't just mean Melissa McCarthy's pants. Frankly, I found it hard to sit through what felt like a bad remake of *Trains, Planes and Automobiles* with John Candy in drag and assassins just behind. But I don't know which I found more dispiriting — the actors trying to wring a few drops of laughter from the nonsensical yet predictable script or the sentimental relationship between the main characters, which would NEVER, EVER happen if ANY detail of the film were real.

**RC:** The sickly sentimentality of the last half of the movie — he learns confidence, she gains a conscience — tries to humanize two characters who don't behave like humans. It would be like the Three Stooges unloading onscreen about childhood trauma. You can't make us feel for these characters no matter how often you show McCarthy crying, because there

isn't an ounce of authenticity anywhere in the film.

**MB:** Correct! But what you might feel, as I did, is what a fine actor McCarthy is, even with this bogus material, and how badly you want her to be paired with another script of Bridesmaids quality. As far as Bateman goes, he's Paul Rudd lite, but even Rudd would not have made a difference here. I knew from the early scene with Jon Favreau that there was nothing grounding this flick.

**RC:** McCarthy's timing is perfect. Over dinner when she's asked, "Do you know what a sociopath is?" She replies, "Do they like ribs?" Not a great gag but her timing sells it. Imagine what she might have done with actual jokes.

**MB:** Usually in a movie like this one, there's one supporting actor who's rises above the rest of the movie. In

Synopsis

After struggling midlevel executive Sandy Patterson (Jason Bateman) foolishly divulges his credit card information over the phone to Diana (Melissa McCarthy), she steals his identity and quickly racks up five-digit debt on his cards. When the cops in his home state of Colorado inform him they can't do anything unless she comes to Denver, he goes to Florida, finds her and vows to drive her back, across the country, to justice.

Star ratings:

- Richard: ●●●●
- Mark: ●●●●

this one, nobody. Zilch. Poor Amanda Peet, forced, probably at gunpoint, to act with only her pert hairdo.

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## Drama



## A Late Quartet

Director. Yaron Zilberman

Stars. Philip Seymour Hoffman, Mark Ivanir, Catherine Keener and Christopher Walken

Framed by Beethoven's Opus 131 String Quartet in C-sharp minor, the film focuses on members of a world-renowned string quartet struggling with change as they enter their 25th season. Walken, the group's cellist and leader, is diagnosed with career-ending Parkinson's, and sets off a chain reaction of sexual, artistic and professional tensions pent up for 25 years. It's an odd but well-balanced tale of elite artistry and domestic melodrama.

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## Drama



## Side Effects

Director. Steven Soderbergh

Stars. Rooney Mara, Channing Tatum, Jude Law

If this is in fact to be Steven Soderbergh's final film as a director released in theatres, he's going out on a pretty good note. There are better entries in his filmography — like *Traffic* or last year's *Magic Mike* or even *Ocean's 11* — but the eclectic director can still count this one as a high point. The twisty, intrigue-filled plot — which we can't go into too much detail about because spoilers abound — has an engaging neo-Hitchcock vibe, but Soderbergh and screenwriter Scott Z. Burns employ one twist too many, making things feel a bit silly at times and keeping the film from being truly spectacular.

NED EHRBAR

# Actors leave their Safe Haven



Safe Haven, starring Julianne Hough and Josh Duhamel, opens in theatres next Friday. HANDOUT

## Improving on improv.

Julianne Hough and Josh Duhamel worked their thespian chops under the direction of Lasse Hallström

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In *Safe Haven*, a new romantic thriller from director Lasse Hallström and writer Nicholas Sparks, Julianne Hough plays a woman on the run from her past, a role she says was "liberating."

"Everything that I've done prior to this has obviously been performance based," says the star of *Footloose* and *Rock of Ages*, "but also very, 'Here is your mark, stand on it. These are your exact lines and these are the songs you are singing.'"

"This was very freeing for me. I really felt like they hired me to act. I felt like I grew so much in this because it was scary."

"It is scary to do something that you've never done before. I always say that if I'm afraid, I should probably do it. But you're on your tippy-

toes because you don't know what he's going to say next because a lot of it was improvised."

The "he" she refers to is Josh Duhamel, who takes a break from playing Lennox in the *Transformers* movies to take on the role of Hough's love interest.

"When I first heard of Lasse's style of shooting, I knew that he liked to be free," he says.

"It's liberating but it also forces you to do much more work because if you change it up you still have to know what each scene is about in order to make the whole movie work. You can't just improv the whole thing because then one scene won't bleed into the next. They started working two weeks before I did and Julianne was like, 'It's great, we improv all day.' What do you mean we improv all day?!"

"The first scene I did with (co-star) Dave Lyons they had us sitting across the table from each other talking," Hough chimes in.

"They said, 'Just talk about anything.' We literally talked about upside down pineapple cake and nothing made sense, and we were like, 'What are we doing?'"

## Lasse Hallström lets Sparks fly



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The romantic thriller *Safe Haven* marks Swedish director Lasse Hallström's second attempt at bringing a Nicholas Sparks novel to the screen. And this time around he felt much freer with the source material. Which is just how he likes it.

### How did your second go at directing a Nicholas Sparks adaptation differ from *Dear John*?

It happens to be built on another Nicholas Sparks novel, but this time we were free to mess with the material. It was pretty much the backbone of the story and then we were free to improvise around it and come up with our own ideas. Now that film is gone, we can roll those cameras for 40 minutes and there's not a cost involved apart from time. You can't tell the difference between film and digital anymore. So I take advantage of that new technique. I roll those two cameras forever and ever. I just keep rolling during the direction and the commenting, and it creates sort of a free atmosphere.

### Do you worry about Sparks' devoted readership being unhappy with changes from the book?

I can't be concerned about



Lasse Hallström directs Julianne Hough and Josh Duhamel. HANDOUT

that, and I don't think there will be a fan base that will be upset over the fact that we added some very small twists and turns, observations that may not be in the novel. I don't think that's a worry.

### With these technological advancements, do you ever

feel a sense of jealousy of filmmakers starting out now? I never had that, not that kind of jealousy, because I shot this way anyway. I just had to change cassettes quickly, after 10 minutes. And I shot on 16 mm a lot to lower the costs of footage. But here in the United States it didn't seem to be

too much of a worry if I kept rolling that camera, so I've been pretty much using this technique for decades now. It depends on the film, but if there's a chance to improvise or keep the camera rolling, I keep doing it. It's almost always the second-to-the-last or the last take that I use.

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# A good day for McClane in Moscow?

**Die Hard.** Bruce Willis reprises his role as a comedic cop — this time blasting his way around Eastern Europe

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Bruce Willis is the first to admit that, five movies in, the titles of the Die Hard franchise are getting a bit ridiculous. “We only do another Die Hard when they have another really complicated title that no one quite understands,” Willis jokes. “We had just gotten to where we understand (2007’s) Live Free or Die Hard, and then now we have A Good Day to Die Hard, which, I have to be honest with you, I’m a little baffled still by that one.”

Twenty-five years after the first Die Hard turned Willis from a funny TV guy into a bona fide action star, he’s back in A Good Day to Die Hard as Det. John McClane, the wise-cracking New York cop who always manages to be in the wrong place at the wrong time.



Bruce Willis and Jai Courtney star in A Good Day to Die Hard, which opens next Thursday. HANDOUT

This go round, that wrong place is Moscow, where he’s tracking down his estranged son (Jai Courtney).

“Moscow was really built for a couple of fish out of water like us. I can’t imagine a bigger ocean of non-communication than Eastern Europe and Russia,” Willis says. “I don’t speak any other languages really. We

got a couple jokes out of that. It just opens it up. I like seeing myself not be able to figure things out — not being able to figure out how the car works, not being able to figure out what someone is saying to me. I can hardly understand English.”

The fourth film found McClane reconciling with his

daughter (Mary Elizabeth Winstead), who has a small part here. With John Jr. featuring in this film, does that mean a sixth might reunite McClane and his wife, Holly, played by Bonnie Bedelia?

“I always think of Bonnie Bedelia and having her coming back,” Willis says. “Those things are unfortunately out of

my hands. It has to do with the story.”

Bedelia, for her part, has been keeping busy on NBC’s Parenthood.

Willis is already the fourth member of the Expendables team to hit theatres with a headlining film in 2013, following Arnold Schwarzenegger (The Last Stand), Jason

## The origins of yippee-ki-yay

It turns out possibly the most famous line of dialogue in Bruce Willis’ career, “yippee-ki-yay, motherf—er,” wasn’t even in the original Die Hard script. “It was an ad-lib,” Bruce Willis admits. “Alan Rickman was such a good bad guy, he was constantly picking on me. He said something to me and I just happen to let that line slip out and it just became part of the fabric of the film. It’s just amazing to me that the line has lasted this long. Kids say it to me on the street. Grandmothers. It’s a little awkward. But I’m happy that they say it.”

Statham (Parker) and Sylvester Stallone (Bullet to the Head). But Willis isn’t concerned with how his latest outing will stack up against his colleagues’. “I don’t compete with anyone. I compete with myself,” he says.

“I wish everyone well. I’m still a big film fan. I still go to see other action films and I go to see comedies and all kinds of weird things. There is no competition.”

## Garber thanks Garner

“At the time that they were casting the movie I was supposed to do a play and she said, ‘Ben really wants you for this part, are you sure that play’s going to happen?’

“And I said, ‘You know, come to think of it, I’m not really sure they have all their money.’ And it turned out they didn’t. And so I got out of the play and got to do the movie.

And really she was instrumental in that happening. Definitely, I have her to thank.”

Victor Garber on Jennifer Garner helping him to secure a role in *Argo*, which was directed by Garner’s husband, Ben Affleck

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## Canadian film

### Grandfather inspiration for Henry

Yan England remembers seeing his grandfather slip under the shroud of Alzheimer’s disease, the memories of the elderly man’s rich life gradually fading from his embattled brain. It shook the young man, but the experience also provided the catalyst for his moving film *Henry*, which is in contention for the best short live-action film Oscar when Hollywood gathers on Feb. 24.

*Henry* is the story of an elderly pianist who dreams of one last duet with his beloved violinist wife.

The film, which England sees as a tribute to his grandfather, shows the world through Henry’s eyes as his failing mind wanders through his life and his family grapples with his deteriorating condition. Although a work of fiction, the film is loosely based on England’s granddad. “My grandfather lived this amazing life and he could remember every single detail,” says the 30-year-old director, who often carries his grandfather’s watch with him, especially at events involving the film.

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Jason Statham stars in Parker. HANDOUT

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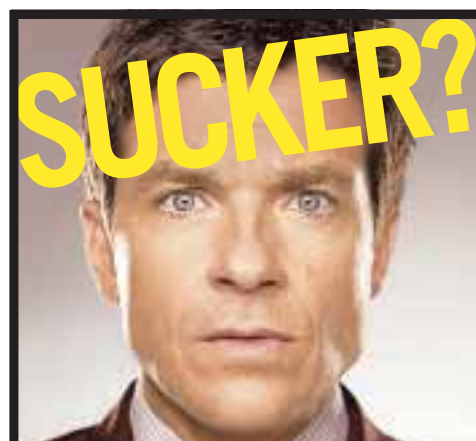
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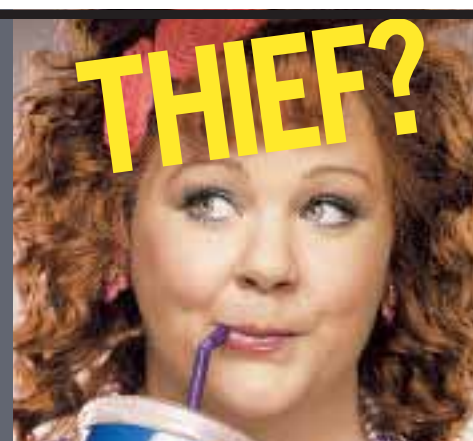
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The Governor (David Morrissey) enjoys some quality father-daughter time on *The Walking Dead*, returning this Sunday at 9 p.m. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Human conflict comes to a boil on *The Walking Dead*

**Zombie drama.** Season three resumes this Sunday, with David Morrissey's increasingly deranged Governor ruling human survivors

"Brother against brother," says The Governor fiercely. "Winner goes free. Fight to the death."

Is this any way to run a town?

AMC's zombie drama *The Walking Dead* ended the first half of this season with a wrenching faceoff: roughneck brothers Merle and Daryl were pitted in a bloody test of loyalty to The Governor as he rallied his flock — the residents of Woodbury, Ga. — to goad them on.

That was last December, and things haven't settled down as the hit horror serial returns for another eight episodes Sunday at 9 p.m. EST. The death match continues. The Governor, played by David Morrissey, is increasing-

ly oppressive, even deranged.

"With Woodbury, he has built a sanctuary, a place of safety where humanity can start again," says Morrissey. "But the negative side of power is like a wobbly tooth for him. He just can't stop sticking his tongue in there. There's something gloriously painful about it, and he likes that."

He seems to be losing his marbles as he sees threats both within and beyond the town walls. This has placed on his enemies list not only the zombies—with their ploddingly persistent appetite for human flesh—but also mortals, who are far less predictable. These include the ragtag refugees led by Sheriff Rick Grimes hiding out in an abandoned prison nearby.

"You can adapt to the zombie threat, and that's part of what Woodbury is about," says Morrissey. "But the new problem that has emerged in season three is human beings. What you have now is two communities of humans in conflict. That's much more complicated."

## Making a name

The 48-year-old British actor gravitates toward complex, off-kilter roles.

- **The Deal.** Morrissey played then-MP (and future Prime Minister) Gordon Brown in the 2003 British TV film.
- **State of Play.** In the 2003 U.K. miniseries, Morrissey wowed as an uptight Member of Parliament.
- **Blackpool.** He played the thuggish owner of the Blackpool seaside arcade in this quirky miniseries along with co-star David Tennant (*Doctor Who*).

In other words: What's scarier than the undead? The living!

In the past, The Governor exhibited a softer side. His most touching moments showed his desperate attempts to stay connected with Penny, his undead little girl. Remove-

ing her from the cell in his apartment where he kept her chained, he lovingly combed her wiry zombie hair in one memorable scene, while she snarled and snapped fiercely.

Strange as it was, the scene made perfect sense to Morrissey.

"You have a sick child and you're trying to do normal things that just aren't normal anymore," he says. "There's great certainty and comfort in the past, and he was trying to re-create that."

But in December's finale, Penny was stabbed by Michonne, an intruder out to kill The Governor.

"He loses the one thing he lives for," says Morrissey, adding with a bit of understatement, "Now he's full of anger."

But will The Governor be back to rule over the ultimate gated community? Not surprisingly, Morrissey is cagey when replying to that question: "Contractually, I'm there for five years. But that's not to say that I don't die at the end of this season, or whenever."

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## TV Picks

### New TV titles are The Boring

We can blame *The Voice* for the trend toward spartan names for reality shows, which has spread to CBS's brand-new series *The Job*. In the show's pilot airing Friday, five people are vying for an assistant manager position at the Palm Restaurant Group. Maybe the losers could get a gig coming up with names for reality TV shows?

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### Live From New York, It's J-Biebs

Canadian teen-pop icon Justin Bieber ticks yet another item off his bucket list tonight, as the fresh-faced Stratford, Ont., product braves Studio 8H to host Saturday Night Live. The 18-year-old will also be the musical guest on the program, returning to the show after performing *Baby* and *U Smile* way back in 2010. Let's just hope the country's shrieking tweens note the time and avoid waking the neighbourhood. (Global, NBC).

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### Remembering Whitney

On the eve of the Grammy Awards last year, the music



Justin Bieber is set to host and play music on Saturday Night Live this weekend. GETTY IMAGES

world was thrown into mourning by the sudden death of singing legend Whitney Houston. And a night before this Sunday's instalment of the Grammys, we're invited to revisit that event with *The Grammys Will Go On: A Death in the Family*, which shows how producers scrambled to acknowledge the passing of a legend with less than 24 hours before one of the splashiest awards galas in the world. (Global, CBS).

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### Carly Rae and Drake at Grammys

It looks like a wide-open race heading into Sunday's

55th Annual Grammy Awards, with a group of artists including Kanye West, Frank Ocean and Mumford & Sons tied with six nominations apiece. The Canadian contingent of nominees includes moody Toronto rapper Drake with a leading three nods, as well as Mission, B.C., pop singer Carly Rae Jepsen and Windsor, Ont.-born R&B crooner Tamia with two apiece. Of course, the performances are reason enough to tune in, with turns expected from Justin Timberlake, the Black Keys, Taylor Swift and Ocean. (Global, CBS).

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### Bob's Burgers does speed dating

The increasingly essential animated comedy *Bob's Burgers* is at its best when it puts its nutty central family together and lets everyone run wild, which is why Sunday's episode is exciting. The kids persuade Bob to let them play hooky so they can assist in his search for a great Valentine's Day gift for Linda, who's simultaneously running a speed-dating operation at the restaurant. (Global, CBS).

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## A Grammy maybe? Carly Rae Jepsen heads for Grammy gold with 2 nods

Carly Rae Jepsen's *Call Me Maybe* became the soundtrack for endless viral online fun last year: U.S. infantry soldiers lip-synched to it in Afghanistan's Kunar Province.

So did James Franco and the U.S. Olympic swim team. Models from Abercrombie & Fitch showed off their abs to it, as did hair-whipping Miami Dolphins cheerleaders. Dogs have barked the whole song. Parodies of it have been parodied.

Fellow singers from Katy Perry to Selena Gomez embraced the pop goodness.

Even the Cookie Monster jumped on the *Call Me Maybe* train. The song put 27-year-old Jepsen, who finished third on a season of *Canadian Idol*, in the spotlight and on a path to potential Grammy gold. The monster hit is nominated for song of the year and best pop vocal performance at the Feb. 10 awards show.

"I was gunning maybe for top 10 on iTunes. That was my little, mini secret goal," she said recently by phone from Los Angeles, where she was picking out a dress to wear to the Grammys, where



Carly Rae Jepsen.

JOHN SHEARER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

she'll also present an award.

The song had a nine week arc on top of the *Billboard* Hot 100 chart and has sold more than 6.7 million tracks in the United States, according to Nielsen SoundScan.

The only thing Jepsen hasn't been able to do is have album sales that match her powerful single. She put out the CD *Kiss* last September, but despite a hit second single — the double platinum *Good Time with Owl City* — the album has sold only 226,000 copies.

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# Tegan and Sara bask in first-ever nomination

## Grammy Awards.

Calgary duo aren't exactly confident about their chances when it comes to winning at this Sunday's award show

First-time Grammy Award nominees Tegan and Sara face some tough competition in the long-form music video category this Sunday, but at least one person close to the Calgary twins is confident.

"My mom's like, 'I think you're going to win,'" laughed Tegan Quin in a recent interview alongside her sister.

"I was like, 'Mom, we're up against Mumford & Sons and U2. You're high.'"

Even if the 32-year-old Quins aren't confidently clearing space on their mantels, they're tickled by the recognition.

The duo is up for *Get*



First-time Grammy Award nominees Tegan and Sara aren't confident about their chances of winning. CHRIS YOUNG/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Along, a DVD the five-time Juno nominees released back in November 2011 that features three separate documentaries totalling more than two hours of footage.

Sometimes such exercises in fan service carry the whiff of a cash-in, but *Get Along* was different — for one thing, it took about 16 months to compile.

It also provided an uncommonly intimate look at the twins, featuring footage of their trip to India as well as interviews with close friends and, yes, their mother, who has long been the subject of embarrassing anecdotes told by the twins onstage (with an unflattering voice impression to boot). Perhaps in part because of the amount of work that went into *Get Along*, the Quins were thrilled to see it recognized.

"(It) was a labour of love," Sara said. "We spent a lot of time working on it. So to have it recognized on such a high level, that's so exciting for us."

"Whether you believe in these systems of grading and competition ... it doesn't matter. Because your parents love it, your friends think it's cool.

## Canadian nominees

A list of Canadian nominees heading into Sunday's 55th Grammy Awards:

- **Drake (three nominations).** Best rap album (*Take Care*); best rap song (*The Motto*); best rap performance (HYFR)
- **Carly Rae Jepsen (two nominations).** Song of the year (*Call Me Maybe*); best pop solo performance (*Call Me Maybe*)
- **Tamia (two nominations).** Best R&B song (*Beautiful Surprise*); best R&B album (*Beautiful Surprise*)
- **Arcade Fire.** Best song written for visual media

(Abraham's Daughter from *The Hunger Games*)

- **Michael Bublé.** Best traditional pop vocal album (*Christmas*)
- **Deadmau5.** Best dance/electronic album (*Album Title Goes Here*)
- **Melanie Fiona.** Best traditional R&B performance (*Wrong Side of a Love Song*)
- **Loreena McKennitt.** Best new age album (*Troubadours on the Rhine*)
- **Howard Shore.** Best score soundtrack for visual media (Hugo)

We're stoked."

As much as they're enjoying being Gramminated (as Sara put it), the pair won't be able to attend the ceremony this Sunday at the Staples Center due to press duties overseas, where they're promoting their latest record,

Heartthrob. The Quins did, however, offer to send their mother down to California in their place.

"She didn't want to go," Tegan said. "So she didn't think we were going to win that much."

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Lady Gaga, known for her questionable fashion choices, may have a tough time picking out an outfit this year. KEVIN WINTER/GETTY IMAGES

# CBS bans breasts, butts, all things fun from Grammy Awards

**Dress code.** Network proves that it stands for Can't Bare Skin with its new policy for celebrities attending this year's show

MARY ANN  
GEORGANTOPOULOS  
Metro World News

Who would have thought the 55th Annual Grammy Awards would have a strict dress code?

With award show season in full swing, the Grammys is supposed to be the fun show. At the Grammys, it is acceptable for stars to let loose. It's not like at the Oscars where the atmosphere is a little stuffier.

This year, though, musicians might need to rethink their wardrobe. CBS Standard and Practice is instilling

**Too bootylicious for ya babe**

**"Please be sure that buttocks and female breasts are adequately covered. Thong-type costumes are problematic. Please avoid exposing bare fleshy under curves of the buttocks and buttock crack."**

CBS Standard and Practice department

a strict no boobs, no butts policy.

This is the email that went out by the S&P department via Deadline:

"CBS Program Practices advises that all talent appearing on camera please adhere to Network policy concerning wardrobe. Please be sure that buttocks and female breasts are adequately covered. Thong-type cos-

tumes are problematic. Please avoid exposing bare fleshy under curves of the buttocks and buttock crack. Bare sides or under curvature of the breasts is also problematic. Please avoid sheer see-through clothing that could possibly expose female breast nipples. Please be sure the genital region is adequately covered so that there is no visible 'puffy' bare skin exposure. Please avoid commercial identification of actual brand name products on T-shirts. Foreign language on wardrobe will need to be cleared."

Got that, ladies? No thongs. CBS is taking this situation seriously. They're not even allowing foreign language on clothes unless it's been cleared.

Our strict, private high school was more fun than the Grammys. What can we say, c'est la vie — that's 'such is life' for you, CBS.

## Wild, weird and wonderful tracks



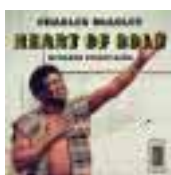
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Alan Cross  
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A somewhat unusual collection of recommendations this week that are worth passing around work today.



### She Must Be One of Us!/Noel Gallagher

There's been a sudden flood of unreleased pre-Flying Birds Noel Gallagher demos. This one sounds like he's channelling Bob Dylan.



### Heart of Gold/Charles Bradley

Wherein a former short order cook and James Brown impersonator records a Neil Young song for his debut album — at age 62.



### Apple vs. Android Phone War/Meri Amber

Are you an iOS user or do you prefer Android? It was inevitable that someone had to write a song about this most First World of conflicts.

**Mind the App**

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Dev Patel and Freida Pinto ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

## Everyday is Valentine's Day for Slumdog couple

Slumdog Millionaire co-stars Dev Patel and Freida Pinto, who have been dating for four years, don't have anything special planned for Valentine's Day this year — or any year — they tell Us Weekly. “I actually am not a big

Valentine's Day supporter,” Pinto says. “I don't really celebrate it.” Which leaves the perfect opening for Patel to prove what a great boyfriend he is: “Everyday should be a celebration of love,” he says. Top that, gentlemen.



David Beckham

## Beckham's pink kicks draw lots of attention

David Beckham has been spotted on the field lately sporting a pair of pink sneakers, which got the attention of a few fans.

During a Twitter chat for clothing retailer H&M, the soccer star acknowledged his love for the interesting footwear choice when a fan asked which sneakers were his favour-

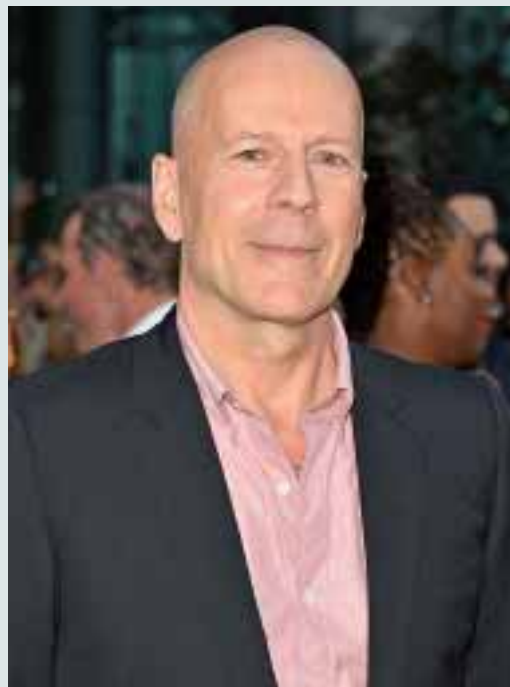
ite. “That would have to be my current Adidas boots,” Beckham replied. “They are pink, which I chose because of (baby daughter) Harper.”

Beckham also revealed that he expects his family will be spending a “huge amount of time in the U.S. in the future” despite a recent move back to England.

# METRO DISH

OUR TAKE ON THE WORLD OF CELEBRITIES

### The Word



## 'No one commits a crime because they saw a film,' Willis says

Bruce Willis, star of many bullet-ridden films, thinks it's a mistake to try to link violence in entertainment with real-life shootings like the recent incidents in Aurora, Colo., and Newtown, Conn.

“No one commits a crime because they saw a

film. There's nothing to support that,” Willis tells the Associated Press. “We're not making movies about people that have gone berserk, or gone nuts. Those kind of movies wouldn't last very long at all.” Furthermore, Willis isn't a fan of more gun control legislation.

“I think that you can't start to pick apart anything out of the Bill of Rights without thinking that it's all going to become undone,” he says. “If you take one out or change one law, then why wouldn't they take all your rights away from you?” **METRO WORLD NEWS**

## Spielberg got it wrong, Conn. congressman alleges

At least one congressman is challenging Steven Spielberg's fact-checking for Lincoln, arguing that the film's depiction of two Connecticut legislators voting against the amendment to abolish slavery is incorrect, according to the Hartford Courant.

“How could congressmen from Connecticut — a state that supported President Lincoln and lost thousands of her sons fighting against slavery on the Union side of the Civil War — have been on the wrong side of history?” Connecticut Rep. Joe Court-



ney asks. “The state's good name, I personally feel, was tarnished a bit.” Courtney is asking that Spielberg alter the film to reflect this before its DVD release.



Lindsay Lohan

## Lohan keeping calm and carrying on

Despite her ongoing legal troubles and reports of her being difficult to work with, Lindsay Lohan insists she's keeping calm and carrying on. So what's her secret?

“Family,” she tells E! News. “You can't get through anything without the family. Family is

everything.”

Lohan, it should be noted, has had public meltdowns with her mom, Dina Lohan, in recent months, and her dad, Michael Lohan, has been pushing on numerous occasions for an intervention and rehab for his daughter.

### Twitter



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Keep seeing #JacktheGiantSlayer posters everywhere. More than can be said for #TheImpossible. Zero posters there! Shame.



**@rosemcgowan**

Does anyone know ANYONE with a Nielsen ratings box? Just curious.



**@johncusak**

-Is paradise expensive or cheap? just curious..



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What are my chances of ending up on a sex offender list if I'm watching kids ice skate while slowly eating this delicious doughy pretzel?



# A year of introspection and reflection

## Chinese New Year.

The Year of the Snake begins Feb. 10, first day of the first lunar month

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For Metro

Happy New Year — Chinese New Year, that is.

Also known as the Spring Festival, the Chinese New Year starts Feb. 10 (it always starts on the first day of the first lunar month), and it is the longest and most important of the traditional holidays, explains Jun Ing, vice-president of the Chinese Benevolent Association of Vancouver.

"That means lots of preparations and celebrations across Canada, especially in larger cities such as Vancouver and Toronto," Ing said.

The customs around Chinese New Year range from thoroughly cleaning your house beforehand "to sweep away any ill fortune" to replacing old plants with fresh flowers and plants to signify "new growth and beginnings." Windows and doors



Participants take part in last year's Chinese Benevolent Association of Vancouver annual Chinese New Year parade. CONTRIBUTED

of homes and businesses are decorated with red paper decorations that have themes such as happiness, wealth and longevity.

On Chinese New Year's Eve, Chinese families often

gather together at someone's home or a restaurant for an annual multi-course "reunion" dinner, explains Shirley Yum, a guide and culinary historian, A Taste of the World, Toronto. The feast fea-

tures many traditional dishes such as Chinese dumplings, fish, spring rolls and sticky rice cake. Special menus and dishes are available at many Chinese restaurants throughout the holiday.

Many communities have parades, too. The 40th annual Vancouver Chinese New Year Parade, for example, features traditional lion and dragon dancers, marching bands and martial arts performances.

## Develop new skills

The Year of the Snake will be a year of culture, introspection and self-development, according to Shirley Yum from A Taste of the World, who introduces people to diverse cultures and their food in Toronto neighbourhoods.

"You should feel a state of calm come over you as the Year of the Water Snake kicks off on Sunday, Feb. 10," Lum said. "The belief is you have a 12-year cycle, and each year takes on characteristics of that animal."

"The Year of the Snake will be a reflective year — and your own animal sign will take on those attributes and react to them."

What can you do to get the most out of the year? "Sign up for workshops and develop new skills."

## Double Happiness recipe. Braised Shiitake Mushrooms on Sweet Peas

### Ingredients:

- 2½ tbsp vegetable oil
- 4 slices ginger, skinned and chopped
- 1 piece garlic, crushed
- 1 to 1½ lbs fresh shiitake mushroom, cleaned
- 2½ cups water
- 1 tbsp T&T Korean Kalbi Marinade Sauce, pictured (available at Loblaws, Real Canadian Superstore and select Zehrs, Valu-Mart, Your Independent Grocer, Extra Foods, and nofrills)
- 1 tsp oyster sauce
- 1 tsp hoisin sauce
- 1 tsp brown sugar
- 1 tsp chili bean sauce
- ½ lbs sweet peas, rinsed
- Pinch salt

### Cornstarch

### mixture:

- 1 tbsp cornstarch
- 2 tbsp water

### Instructions:

**1** Heat 2 tbsp oil in a wok on high; sizzle in ginger and garlic. Add shiitake mushrooms and ½ cup of water, mix well. Add the T&T Korean Kalbi Marinade Sauce, oyster sauce, chili bean sauce, hoisin sauce and sugar, stir and cook for 1 minute. Turn heat to medium-low, cover and cook for 4 to 5 minutes or until mushrooms are tender. Turn heat to a low simmer.

**2** Bring 2 cups of water in a medium saucepan to a



Shiitake mushrooms. RON CHAPPEL STUDIOS/THINKSTOCK

boil on high. Add ½ tbsp of oil and a pinch of salt, add peas. Blanch for 30 seconds (longer if less crunchy peas are preferred). Turn off heat. Strain peas and transfer to a deep dish.

**3** Bring mushroom mixture back to a boil. Pre-

pare cornstarch mixture: Mix cornstarch and water together in a bowl. Slowly pour into wok, stir well. Turn off heat and serve on top of the peas. Serves 4 to 6 with steamed rice.

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## Liquid Assets

### I love you in a wine glass



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This one is for all the lovers in the world. Well, at least for all you guys out there who haven't realized that Valentine's Day is this coming Thursday.

Why didn't Cupid just make V-Day the second Sunday of February so we could cook up an easy breakfast in bed for our sweeties accompanied by a glass of bubbly?

That would be too easy. This year, it's a weekday. So, if you're not going out on the town to show your devotion, at least bring her home (or him, girls) a bottle that's the liquid equivalent of an Enrique Iglesias album.

It wouldn't hurt if that vino paired well with a heart-shaped box of bonbons. Chocolate is a palate coating confection, so many wines lose their nuance when paired with it.

Reds work best, with Old Vine Zinfandels, ripe and ready Pinot Noirs and plump, thick-fruited Merlots all having a natural sweetness that gives them the edge if you're trying to match one wine with a variety of chocolate styles.

J. Lohr Estates' 2010 Los Osos Merlot (\$19.95 to \$22.99) from California's Paso Robles is a chewy burst of deep berry fruit that definitely brings the love.

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This recipe serves two. MATTHEW MEAD/ THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Easy romantic dinner frees up time for love

## Crab and Hearts of Palm Gratin with Arugula Salad. Make-ahead dish won't keep you in the kitchen

Not planning to go out for Valentine's Day? Time to start planning a special menu for a romantic night in.

This dish is warm, comforting and rich with flavours that say "you're special." It cooks up in a gratin dish, so you can assemble it ahead of time, then when you're ready to eat, just pop it in the oven.

While the gratin bakes, assemble the salad and serve everything together with a

crusty baguette.

It's simple, special and perfect for an evening in.

1. Heat the oven to 375 F. Place 2 shallow individual-sized casserole or gratin dishes on a baking sheet.

2. Chop the artichoke hearts and hearts of palm into 1/2-inch pieces. In a medium bowl, gently stir the artichokes and hearts of palm with the thyme, lemon zest, cream, fontina, white pepper and crab. Spoon the mixture into the gratin dishes.

3. In a small bowl, stir together the breadcrumbs, paprika, salt and melted butter. Sprinkle over the gratins.

Bake for 25 to 30 minutes, or until bubbling.

4. While the gratins bake, make the salad. In a medium bowl, whisk together the ol-

ive oil, vinegar, mustard and maple syrup. Add the arugula, cherries and almonds and gently toss to coat. Serve topped with sea salt and black pepper. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Ingredients

### For the gratin

- 14-oz each cans artichoke hearts and hearts of palm, drained
- 1 tbsp chopped fresh thyme
- Zest of 1 lemon
- 1/2 cup heavy cream
- 1/2 cup grated fontina cheese
- 1/4 tsp ground white pepper
- 12 oz lump crab meat
- 1/3 cup panko breadcrumbs
- 1/4 tsp sweet paprika

- Pinch of salt
- 1 tbsp butter, melted

### For the salad:

- 1 tbsp olive oil
- 1 tbsp balsamic vinegar
- 1 tsp Dijon mustard
- 1 tsp maple syrup
- 2 cups baby arugula
- 1/4 cup fresh or dried cherries
- 2 tbsp toasted almonds
- Sea salt and ground black pepper

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## No talent? No problem!

The Gas Station Arts Centre, 445 River Ave., is having a Talent or No Talent Show Friday. Gather your friends together and take in what is sure to be a manic night of beautiful, awkward, hilarious, and perhaps strange entertainment. The docket boasts a variety of talents, from singing and dancing to comedy. If the talent-based reality shows have taught us anything, it's that you can expect the unexpected at these kind of events. Tickets are only \$10 and available at the door, or by contacting Shira at 204-955-9968.



## Trade in those winter boots for cowboy boots

Giddy up, Canadian country music star Dean Brody is playing at the Burton Cummings Theatre on Saturday. Winnipeg is smack-dab in the middle of the B.C. native's #TheDirtTour2013, which is travelling all across Canada. Whether you're a country music fan or not, I highly recommend you check this show out. Aside from the great music, country music fans are some of the most fun audiences around. Bobby Willis will open up the show and tickets are only \$34.50, plus taxes and fees. Doors open at 7:30 p.m.



## Cupid's arrow missed you this year? Don't worry

What's a person to do if they don't have a special valentine during this week of love? I suggest having the best time of your life at an anti-valentine party. Don't cry about being single, celebrate this greeting card week on Saturday at Winnipeg Psy's Love Hurts bash at VP Nights, located at 1480 Pembina Hwy. The party boasts psychedelic lights, lots of hard beats and it even encourages guests to dress up in their naughtiest attire. Tickets are \$7. For more info, check out facebook.com/WpgPsy. Don't forget to bring your I.D., this party is for an 18 plus crowd.



## Cycle through that Snow

Manitobans are notorious for riding their bikes all year 'round. Why not try to win a little money and some prestige for your mad biking skills. Pump up those bicycle tires and head down to the Forks for Winnipeg's Annual Ice Bike Thirteen, taking place this Sunday. Bring the whole family to this competition that could see you or the kids win cash prizes in three different categories and levels of winter biking. Registration runs from 9 to 11 a.m. and is \$30 for adults and \$15 for kids. For more information, check out icebiking.com.



## Get electric with some mad beats

Baauer and Just Blaze are co-headlining the Big League Tour, and it'll stop over at the Green Room, Suite 2-108 Osborne St., on Sunday. If you dig electronic music, you have to check out this show. Baauer is relatively new to the scene, breaking out last year with a "southern rap-influenced take on electronic music," and Just Blaze is a record producer who has made a name for himself producing for the likes of Jay-Z, Kanye West, Lupe Fiasco and others. The show starts at 9 p.m. and you can get tickets for \$20 at Urban Bakery, or at the door.



## A little "Go Jets Go"

The Winnipeg Jets take on the Philadelphia Flyers at MTS Centre on Tuesday. If you couldn't snag yourself a pair of tickets, don't worry, most of Winnipeg couldn't either. Don't let that stop you from having a blast watching the game though. Tavern United boasts some great prizes, cheap beer (\$3.99 a pint), and big screens to watch our boys in action. Hat Tricks Sports Bar and Grill, located at 3740 Portage Ave., has lots of TVs located all around the bar, so you won't miss a second of the action. Try the "famous" hot wings if you want to spice things up a bit.



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Winnipeg Jet Chris Thorburn, right, checks Toronto Maple Leaf Frazer McLaren into the Jets bench on Thursday in Winnipeg. JOHN WOODS/THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Jets sunk late as Kessel ends drought

**NHL.** Winnipeg coughs up 2-1 lead in third period as Leafs' Kessel scores game winner

Phil Kessel scored his first goal of the season late in the third period to lift the Toronto Maple Leafs over the Winnipeg Jets 3-2 on Thursday night.

Tyler Bozak scored short-handed and Matt Frattin added a goal for the Leafs (6-5-0), who won their second straight of a three-game road trip. Kessel's goal ended a frustrating drought for the top-line winger who had 37 goals last season.

Zach Redmond and Grant

Clitsome scored for the Jets (4-5-1), who have lost four of their last five games.

There was no scoring the first period but the Jets came out fast and hard with four shots on goal before the Leafs had one — no repeat of Tuesday's flat start against the Panthers.

Redmond, from the Jets' AHL farm team, scored his first NHL goal thanks to a 2-on-1 short-handed breakaway initiated by Bryan Little, who fed him a cross-ice pass the rookie fired past James Reimer's glove hand.

Dion Phaneuf was the only Leaf between the two Jets and Toronto's Manitoba-born goaltender.

But three minutes later, a mistake by Jets defence-

On Thursday

3

Leafs

2

Jets

man Paul Postma handed Bozak a 1-on-1 short-handed shootout with Jets netminder Ondrej Pavelec.

Clitsome put the Jets ahead in the third with a bullet slapped from just inside the blue-line that beat Reimer's glove hand again. It was his second of the short season and a little reminiscent of the kind of shot injured defenceman

Dustin Byfuglien can unleash.

Cody Franson fired a shot that Frattin got credit for as the puck glanced off him past a downed Pavelec to tie the game at 14:58.

Kessel popped in Bozak's drop pass less than a minute later after the Jets took a holding penalty.

Pavelec stopped 15 shots while Reimer made 23 saves.

The Jets went 0-for-4 on the power play.

The Jets' leading scorer this season, defenceman Tobias Enstrom, went into Thursday's game riding a new career point streak and extended it to eight with another assist against the Leafs. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

## Olympics

### Price of ski jump could cost official his job

A year before the 2014 Winter Olympics are to begin, President Vladimir Putin has demanded that a senior member of the Russian Olympic Committee be fired, apparently due to cost overruns in host city Sochi — a demand certain to be fulfilled.

The current price tag for the Sochi Games is \$51 billion US, which would make them the most expensive games in the history of the Olympics.

Putin's decision came after his tour of Olympic venues, during which he heard that the cost of the ski jump had soared from \$40 million to \$265 million and that the project was behind schedule.

The official facing dismissal, Akmet Bilalov, had a company that was building the ski jump and its adjacent facilities before selling its stake to state-owned Sberbank last year. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

## Skiing

### Guay gives course the thumbs-down

Defending champion Erik Guay of Canada criticized the men's downhill course at the world ski championships in Schladming, Austria, after training on Thursday, calling one of the jumps "way too big."

Guay said he hurt his back while landing after the 30-metre jump.

"That's ridiculous," Guay said. "Any course you should be able to push in the first training run and not have to worry about injuries like that."

The height of the jump was causing problems because racers land on a flat part of the slope, the skier said. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

# Podborski keen on seeing his record broken

If and when Erik Guay breaks Steve Podborski's long-standing record for World Cup podium finishes, Podborski will be the first to applaud the younger skier.

Best known as a former member of the Crazy Canucks, Podborski is also a longtime sport volunteer and Canada's chef de mission for the 2014 Sochi Olympics.

His mission, he said, is to make Canadian athletes better than his generation was — even if that means seeing his own name erased from Canada's record books.

"I want our guys to be bet-

## Quoted

**"He now knows what's required and I think he's going to be able to win a medal."**

Steve Podborski commenting on Erik Guay's maturity heading into next year's Olympics

ter than we were. And so yes, I want Erik to beat me, I want him to beat all my records, I want him to keep on going and get them all knocked off... because that's what's supposed to happen." Podborski said Thursday from Sochi.

"I want to be part of that solution. What it would do is lift our athletes up, lift them all up so we all get higher and better. Yes, I want Erik to beat that record. I want him to beat them all. I want him to beat them sooner than later. And then I want someone to come along and beat his records."

The 55-year-old Podborski stood on the World Cup ski podium 20 times, culminating in a victory in 1984. Guay, a native of Mont-Tremblant, Que., has climbed it 19 times, most recently earning a silver in the downhill at Kitzbuehel, Austria, on Jan. 26. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**



Steve Podborski, Canada's new chef de mission for the 2014 Sochi Olympics, says his mission as a longtime sport volunteer is to make Canada's athletes better than his generation was. JEFF MCINTOSH/THE CANADIAN PRESS



## CIS football

## Quebec City to host this year's Vanier Cup

The 2013 Vanier Cup game will return to Quebec City this fall.

Laval University has been selected to host the Canadian university football championship Nov. 23, Canadian Interuniversity Sport announced Thursday.

"We are very excited to return to Quebec City for the 2013 Vanier Cup," CIS president Leo MacPherson said in a release. "We are coming off a very successful Vanier Cup and we strongly feel staging the game at Laval next fall is the best way to build on that success and keep the momentum going as we get set to celebrate our 50th-anniversary edition in 2014."

The Vanier Cup was previously played at Telus Universite Laval Stadium in 2009 and 2010.

Laval defeated McMaster 37-14 in the 48th Vanier Cup last November. The game was played at Toronto's Rogers Centre in front of a Vanier Cup-record crowd of 37,098.

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## CFL

## Ex-girlfriend of former Stamps RB tells court he choked her

The former girlfriend of a one-time Canadian Football League all-star testified Thursday that he tried to choke and smother her when she came home and found him in her bed.

Kaitlin Ward, 27, testified she dated Calgary Stampeders running back Joffrey Reynolds for six years before ending their relationship in December 2011 after discovering he had been cheating on her.

She said they were still friends and were trying to determine if they could "salvage" their relationship when she allowed him to stay with her for a couple of days last July after his house went into foreclosure.

Ward said she told Reynolds he had to get out while the two were at a party put on by Stamps receiver Nik Lewis at a bar. She said Reynolds got angry and kicked her in the back of the leg.

When she went home later, she said, he was there waiting for her.

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## Tim Raines called to Canadian Hall of Fame

## Baseball. Seven-time all-star headlines class that includes George Bell and Tom Cheek

He's still waiting for Coopers-town to call, but Tim Raines can finally say he's a Hall of Famer.

The former Montreal Expos outfielder was named for induction Thursday into the Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame. Also included in the class of 2013 are former Toronto Blue Jays outfielders George Bell and Rob Ducey, as well as former announcer Tom Cheek and longtime minor-league owner Nat Bailey.

No players were elected into the Baseball Hall of Fame this year. Raines was fifth in voting conducted by the Baseball Writers' Association of America with 297 votes (52.2 per cent), finishing short of the 75 per cent required for induction.

"Definitely different types of emotions," Raines said during a conference call. "The emotions of not getting into the Baseball Hall of Fame is something I've been dealing with for five years."

"Getting into the Canadian (Baseball) Hall of Fame ... is the highest honour I've gotten since I played professional baseball, so this is a great moment for me and my family. I was ecstatic about it."

Raines, 53, played left field for six major-league teams from 1979 to 2002, but is best known for his time in Montreal (1979-90). Nicknamed Rock, he was a seven-time all-star and two-time World Series champion as a player — he added a third in 2005 as a Chicago White Sox coach — and retired with a career .294 average with 2,605 hits, 170 homers and 808 stolen bases.

Last month, Raines joined the Toronto Blue Jays as a base-running and outfield coach.

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Tim Raines, pictured as a Montreal Expos outfielder on April 4, 1989, was named for induction into the Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame's class of 2013.

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## NHL

## EASTERN CONFERENCE

## ATLANTIC DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OL	GF	GA	Pt
Pittsburgh	11	8	3	0	39	26	16
New Jersey	10	6	1	3	27	22	15
NY Rangers	10	5	5	0	24	26	10
NY Islanders	10	4	5	1	30	34	9
Philadelphia	11	4	6	1	25	30	9

## NORTHEAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OL	GF	GA	Pt
Boston	9	7	1	1	26	20	15
Ottawa	11	6	3	2	31	22	14
Montreal	10	6	3	1	31	24	13
Toronto	10	5	5	0	25	29	10
Buffalo	11	4	6	1	35	41	9

## SOUTHEAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OL	GF	GA	Pt
Tampa Bay	10	6	4	0	42	27	12
Carolina	9	5	4	0	25	26	10
Winnipeg	9	4	4	1	27	34	9
Florida	10	4	5	1	25	35	9
Washington	11	2	8	1	25	41	5

Note: A team winning in overtime or shootout is credited with two points and a victory in the W column; the team losing in overtime or shootout receives one point which is registered in the OL (other loss) column.

## Thursday's results

Florida 3 Philadelphia 2 (SO)  
Pittsburgh 5 Washington 2  
New Jersey 4 Tampa Bay 2  
Calgary 4 Columbus 3 (OT)  
NY Rangers 4 NY Islanders 1  
Buffalo 5 Montreal 4 (SO)  
Carolina 3 Ottawa 2 (OT)  
Toronto at Winnipeg  
Los Angeles at Nashville  
Detroit at St. Louis  
Vancouver at Minnesota  
Chicago at Phoenix

## Wednesday's results

Boston 2 Montreal 1  
Anaheim 3 Colorado 0  
Dallas 3 Edmonton 2 (OT)  
Friday's games  
All Times Eastern  
Anaheim at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.  
Saturday's games  
Carolina at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.  
Tampa Bay at Boston, 1 p.m.  
Pittsburgh at New Jersey, 1 p.m.  
Winnipeg at Ottawa, 2 p.m.  
Edmonton at Detroit, 2 p.m.  
Phoenix at San Jose, 4 p.m.  
Buffalo at NY Islanders, 7 p.m.  
Toronto at Montreal, 7 p.m.  
Florida at Washington, 7 p.m.  
Anaheim at St. Louis, 8 p.m.  
Nashville at Minnesota, 8 p.m.  
Calgary at Vancouver, 10 p.m.

## WESTERN CONFERENCE

## CENTRAL DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OL	GF	GA	Pt
Chicago	10	8	0	2	33	23	18
St. Louis	9	6	3	0	32	25	12
Nashville	9	4	2	3	20	21	11
Detroit	9	4	4	1	23	28	9
Columbus	11	3	6	2	23	36	8

## NORTHWEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OL	GF	GA	Pt
Vancouver	9	5	2	2	24	22	12
Edmonton	10	4	3	3	24	27	11
Minnesota	9	4	4	1	21	24	9
Calgary	8	3	3	2	24	28	8
Colorado	10	4	6	0	21	26	8

## PACIFIC DIVISION

	GP	W	L	OL	GF	GA	Pt
Anaheim	9	7	1	1	32	23	15
San Jose	10	7	2	1	34	21	15
Dallas	11	5	5	1	23	27	11
Phoenix	10	4	4	2	29	27	10
Los Angeles	8	3	3	2	20	25	8

## SCORING LEADERS

	G	A	Pt
Vanek, Buf	8	11	19
Stankos, TBL	7	9	16
Kane, Chi	6	9	15
Marleau, SJ	9	5	14
Smith, Buf	6	8	14
Crosby, Phg	4	10	14
Thornton, SJ	3	11	14
St. Louis, TBL	3	11	14
Zetterberg, Det	5	8	13
Pavelski, SJ	5	8	13
Clarkson, NJ	7	5	12
Kunitz, Phg	6	6	12
Conacher, TBL	5	7	12
Enstrom, Win	2	10	12
Malkin, Phg	2	10	12
Couture, SJ	6	5	11
Lecavalier, TBL	4	7	11
Tavares, NYI	4	7	11
Gagner, Edm	3	8	11
Koivu, Ana	3	8	11
Ribeiro, Wash	3	8	11
Staal, Car	7	3	10
Parise, Min	6	4	10
Hossa, Chi	6	4	10
Tarasenko, STL	5	5	10
Hodgson, Buf	5	5	10
Vrbata, Phx	3	7	10

Not including last night's games

## NBA

## EASTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
d-Miami	32	14	.696	—
d-New York	31	16	.660	1 1/2
d-Indiana	31	19	.620	3
Chicago	29	19	.604	4
Brooklyn	29	20	.592	4 1/2
Atlanta	27	21	.563	6
Milwaukee	25	23	.521	8
Boston	25	23	.521	8
Philadelphia	21	27	.438	12
Detroit	18	32	.360	16
Toronto	17	32	.347	16 1/2
Cleveland	15	34	.306	18 1/2
Orlando	14	35	.286	19 1/2
Washington	13	35	.271	20
Charlotte	11	37	.229	22

## WESTERN CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct	GB
d-San Antonio	39	11	.780	—
d-Oklahoma City	37	12	.755	1 1/2
d-L.A. Clippers	35	16	.686	4 1/2
Denver	31	18	.633	7 1/2
Memphis	30	18	.625	8
Golden State	30	19	.612	8 1/2
Utah	28	22	.560	11
Houston	27	24	.529	12 1/2
Portland	25	24	.510	13 1/2
L.A. Lakers	23	26	.469	15 1/2
Dallas	21	28	.429	17 1/2
Minnesota	18	28	.391	19
Phoenix	17	33	.340	22
Sacramento	17	33	.340	22
New Orleans	16	33	.327	22 1/2

Note: division leaders ranked in top three positions regardless of winning percentage.

## Thursday's results

L.A. Lakers at Boston  
Chicago at Denver  
Friday's games  
All Times Eastern  
L.A. Lakers at Charlotte, 7 p.m.  
Toronto at Indiana, 7 p.m.  
Brooklyn at Washington, 7 p.m.  
San Antonio at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.  
New Orleans at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.  
Orlando at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.  
L.A. Clippers at Miami, 8 p.m.  
New York at Minnesota, 8 p.m.  
Portland at Houston, 8 p.m.  
Golden State at Memphis, 8 p.m.  
Phoenix at Oklahoma City, 8 p.m.  
Chicago at Utah, 10:30 p.m.  
Saturday's games  
Denver at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.  
Charlotte at Philadelphia, 8 p.m.  
Golden State at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.  
Detroit at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.  
Utah at Sacramento, 10 p.m.

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**Aries**

**March 21 - April 20**

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**Taurus**

**April 21 - May 21**

Read between the lines if you want to find out what is really going on. Once you have cracked the code, you can use what you learn to strengthen your own position. Are we talking blackmail here? Maybe!

**Gemini**

**May 22 - June 21**

Your intuition is trying to tell you something important but the rational part of your mind refuses to accept it. Turn your logic circuits off for a bit and let the deeper part of your nature come through.

**Cancer**

**June 22 - July 23**

Be nice to partners and loved ones today because you will need their assistance over the weekend. Think before you speak or act. Try to see what effect your words might have. It never hurts to look ahead.

**Leo**

**July 24 - Aug. 23**

The planets will expand your horizons today and help you find interesting things in even the most tedious of tasks. It's not what you do that matters so much as the attitude you choose to take while doing it.

**Virgo**

**Aug. 24 - Sept. 23**

Today's Mars-Mercury link in your opposite sign may make it seem as if the world is against you but you know it's not true. End this week and start the next in the same fashion: Don't take anything too seriously.

**Libra**

**Sept. 24 - Oct. 23**

You will be rather suspicious as to other people's motives today, to the extent that you turn down their offers of assistance. Later on, you may look back and wish you had not been quite so distrustful.

**Scorpio**

**Oct. 24 - Nov. 22**

Certain people need reminding that you are a free individual and not a servant to be used as they see fit. If your present work environment does not suit you, it's time to change it.

**Sagittarius**

**Nov. 23 - Dec. 21**

Put your own needs first and ignore those who say you are being selfish. Maybe you are but there were plenty of times in the past when you sacrificed your own desires to help other people. Remind them of that.

**Capricorn**

**Dec. 22 - Jan. 20**

Try not to be suspicious if a rival pays you a compliment. According to the planets, they are making a genuine attempt to bury the hatchet. Respond in kind and show them you appreciate the effort.

**Aquarius**

**Jan. 21 - Feb. 19**

If you rely on what other people tell you today, chances are you will head off in completely the wrong direction. The words people use are important, of course, but trust your intuition if it tells you something different.

**Pisces**

**Feb. 20 - March 20**

Mars in your sign makes you determined to get the most out of every minute, and that's good, but don't throw yourself blindly at every challenge that comes along. Your time and energy are precious, so use them wisely. **SALLY BROMPTON**

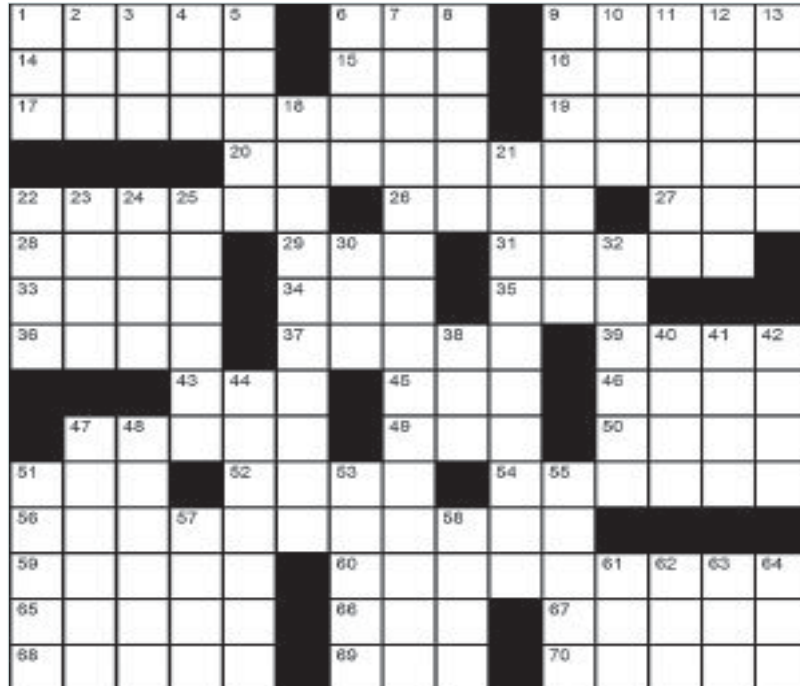
**Crossword: Canada Across and Down**

**Across**

1. UK's Oscar equivalent
6. Shopping or To-Do, e.g.
9. Hairstylist's tools
14. "Let \_\_\_!" (Start!)
15. News agcy.
16. Aunt's hubby, in Quebec
17. Quebec City founder in 1608, Samuel de \_\_\_
19. "\_\_\_ Work It Out" by The Beatles: 2 wds.
20. The \_\_\_ (North-of-Montreal skiing region)
22. Alex of "Jeopardy!"
26. Prefix with 'logical'
27. Pres. Eisenhower
28. Annoy
29. 'Filb' finisher (Nut)
31. Ms. Stefani, and others
33. Role in "The Producers" (2005)
34. Zodiac's roarer
35. 'Pepper' add-on (Pizza topping)
36. Mountain stat.
37. Grams \_\_\_ (Nutritional info)
39. Scientology founder, \_\_\_
- Hubbard
43. Hosp. area
45. Numerical prefix
46. Overseas currency
47. Seaweed-wrapped appetizer
49. Bit of Beatles: "Isn't \_\_\_ bit like..."
50. 'Refer' suffix
51. Vienna is its cap.
52. "\_\_\_ dead people." (#13-Down line)
54. Tiger type
56. "Born to Be Wild" band
59. Elvis line: "We're caught in \_\_\_"
60. 1991 Nirvana album
65. France's longest river
66. "This \_\_\_ surprise!"
67. \_\_\_ space
68. Concluded
69. Cardinals player's baseball cap letters
70. Russian negativess

**Down**

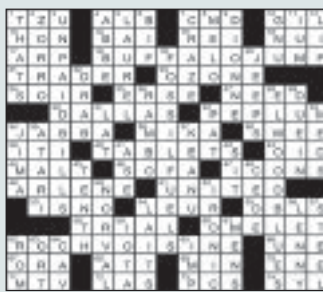
1. Ballpoint brand



2. Sports fig.
3. Lobster \_\_\_ Diavolo (Seafood dish with pasta)
4. Director Mr. Burton
5. Crunchy fruit
6. Hawaiian feast
7. "And If Venice Is Sinking" band: 4 wds.
8. Like a fork
9. Calgary's nickname
10. "Dedicated to the \_\_\_ Love" by The Shirelles
11. Canadian frozen fries maker
12. Spaces
13. "The Sixth \_\_\_" (1999)
18. Banff National Park sight: 2 wds.
21. On the table, as a deal
22. Genuine
23. Streamlet
24. Fashion magazine
25. "\_\_\_ and Butt-Head"
30. NHL official
32. '80s hit: "Come On \_\_\_"
38. I am. You \_\_\_
40. Ladder step
41. Whale movie
42. Liam's Oasis brother
44. Nicked, as nail polish
47. Canadian real estate company

48. Logging-on name, \_\_\_
51. Make \_\_\_ (Do store business)
53. Heath's "Brokeback Mountain" (2005) role
55. Actor Zac
57. Canadian actress Jessica of "Mad Men"
58. Face shape
61. Very: Spanish
62. 'Meteor' suffix
63. Hair holder
64. Li'l physicians

**Yesterday's Crossword**

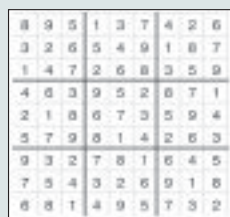


**Sudoku**

**How to play**

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

**Yesterday's Sudoku**



**Weather**

**TODAY**



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